

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Farid Nemati et al. Examiner:  
Serial No.: Divisional of 10/253,363 Group Art Unit:  
Filed: herewith Docket No.: C035-D-1  
Title: A THYRISTOR HAVING A FIRST Emitter WITH RELATIVELY  
LIGHTLY DOPED PORTION TO THE BASE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above identified patent application, please amend it as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please change the title of the invention to: "A Thyristor Having A First Emitter With Relatively Lightly Doped Portion To The Base."

Please insert before the first line of the application the following sentence:  
--This is a divisional of application serial no. 10/253,363 filed September 24, 2002,  
which is incorporated herein by reference.--

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel Claims 1-24.